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CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Mrs. George T. Klipstein left Thursday for Rochester, Minn., to visit her sister.

Miss Hattie Wattles, who has been the guest of Miss Mamie Graham, left today for her home at Brookland, B. C.

John R. Harding has sold to William H. Cook house and lot 431 North Columbus street.

At Immanuel Lutheran Church the subject tomorrow morning will be "The Glory of the Christian Religion." Sunday School, 9:30 a. m.

Mrs. Annie Grey, president of the Rebekahs in Virginia, this week was the guest of Mrs. J. H. Mansfield, 108 North Pitt street.

Memorial services for the late Gustavus Robey will be held at Salvation Army Hall at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening. Sunday School at 2:30 p. m.

Members of the Allison W. C. T. U. will meet Monday night at 8 o'clock at the residence of Mrs. Percy E. Clift, 217 North Columbus street.

Lieut. Gerald Jones, son of Dr. and Mrs. T. Marshall Jones, this city, has been promoted to the rank of captain. Capt. Jones is now stationed at Camp Pike, Ark., and expects to shortly go overseas.

J. W. Ferrell and others have sold to J. O. Hutchison lots 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 in the square bounded by Payne, Fayette, Princess and Oronoco streets.

Beginning Monday, the Red Cross rooms will be open every day, except Saturday, from 10 to 1 o'clock and from 2:30 to 5, and Wednesday and Friday evenings from 7:30 to 10 p. m.

Mrs. Katie U. French, widow of Wirt A. French, Princeton, W. Va., has returned to this city, her former home, and will reside with her relatives, Judge and Mrs. Louis C. Barley, 211 North Washington street.

Mr. Algernon Coleman Chalmers, has issued invitations for the marriage of his sister, Mrs. Marion Chalmers Bryant, to Mr. Arthur Herbert. The ceremony will take place in St. Paul's Episcopal Church on October 12 at 5 o'clock in the afternoon.

"The Preparation for Pentacost" will be the subject of the sermon by Rev. Dr. E. B. Jackson, pastor of the First Baptist Church, at the morning service tomorrow. Evening theme will be "The Signs, the Times," which will be the second of a series of sermons on this subject.

Lieut. William J. Wallis, Brevard, N. C., this visited his uncle and aunt, Prof. and Mrs. S. A. Wallis, Episcopal Seminary. He is on his way from teh training camp at Plattsburg, N. Y., and will visit his parents in Brevard before going to Camp Emory, near Atlanta. Mr. Ward Boswell, this city, is an uncle of Lieut. Wallis.

The evening sermon at the Second Prosbyterian Church will be of special interest as the pastor will discuss the subject "Thou Shalt Not Kill," as it applies to the war. Rev. Dr. John Lee Allison, pastor, will take for his subject at the morning service, "The Power of the Grace of God." Sunday School, 9:30 a. m., and Men's Bible Class, 10 a. m.

Clarence L. Ford, a former Alexandrian, died in Baltimore on Thursday. The deceased was a son of the late Joseph and Jane Ford, of Alexandria. Mr. Ford was at one time a compositor on the Alexandria Gazette. He later was employed in the composing room of the Baltimore Sun. His brother, the late Norvell Ford, was one of the editors of the Sun at one time.

Chaplain Leon L. Hemmitt, of Camp Humphreys, will preach at the 7:30 o'clock service at Christ Episcopal Church tomorrow evening. He will bring with him the Camp Humphreys orchestra. At 11 a. m., there will be morning prayer and sermon by the rector, the Rev. Dr. W. J. Morton. The Sunday School and Emmanuel Bible Class will be at 9:30 a. m.

AUTO ACCIDENT TODAY.

Miss Eline Bartlett, Injured When Automobile Collides With Wagon.

An automobile driven by a Mr. Bartlett, Bailey's Cross Roads, Fairfax county, coming east on King street road at 8:30 o'clock this morning collided with a wagon belonging to Stuart J. Simpson, grocer, of 501 South Alfred street, and Miss Eline Bartlett, fourteen years old, sister of the driver of the machine, was cut on the face and head by glass from the broken winshield. Miss Bartlett was conveyed to the Alexandria Hospital by a passing motorist and twelve stitches were taken by Dr. Hugh McGuire. The machine was considerably damaged, although the driver escaped injury.

Samuel Reynolds, colored, was driving the wagon and the wagon was somewhat damaged and the legs of the horse skinned.

OLD DUTCH MARKET OPENS TODAY FOR BUSINESS

The Old Dutch Market opened for business this morning at their Alexandria branch 1004-1006 King street. Throughout the day their big store was crowded wit hcustomers, and the managers of the store were the recipents of numerous congratulations on the modern establishment and the big corps of clerks were kept busy all day in waiting on customers. The market fills a long felt need in this city. Many of the officials of the concern were here today and expressed gratitude over the big success of the opening.

"DOWN WITH WAR," GERMANS SHOUT.

Amsterdam, Sept. 21.—"Down with the war," was shouted by the crowds at an election meeting in Berlin yesterday, said a dispatch from that city today.

The meeting was broken up by the police.

DUTCH SHIPPING

400,000 Tons Tied up in Consequence of German Threat.

The acquiescence of the Netherlands government in German threats which keep 400,000 tons of Dutch shipping idle in port, while the people of Holland suffer for want of the food these vessels might bring, is commented upon in a statement issued yesterday by the State Department to clear up misapprehension as to the attitude of the United States toward exports to Holland.

The department expresses the hope that the Netherlands government will lift embargo on the movement of its ships, which constitute the only considerable unit of idle neutral tonnage, and in effect gives notice that appeals for American foodstuffs will be in vain until Holland follows the example of the Scandinavian countries, Switzerland and Spain and enters into equitable agreements with the United States and the allies.

Reviewing the efforts of the American government to lend its assistance, the statement discloses that after refusing to approve a tentative general understanding for the export of enormous quantities of food, petroleum, metals and other supplies, reached in London last winter, the Netherlands, bowing to the German threat to tropdeo every ship sailing between neutral countries, failed to avail itself of the offer of the United States and the allies to permit the export of 100,000 tons of bread cereals as an emergency measure.

In spite of the free licensing of bunker coal, for ships other than those originally stipulated and which carried 50,000 tons of cereals to Holland, an additional 50,000 tons, largely in Argentina, has been left untouched for more than six months.

The attention of the public is directed to the evangelistic services which will be conducted at the Methodist Protestant Church at 8 o'clock tomorrow night. Everyone is invited.

Masonic Notice.

There will be a called communication of Alexandria Washington Lodge No. 22, A. F. and A. M., Saturday, September 21st, at 7:30 p. m. Emergency degree work. A large attendance is requested. By order of the Worshipful Master.

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HELD FOR GRAND JURY

Wm. Montague, Colored, Charged With Shooting And Killing Irving Dudley, Colored—Coroner's Jury Gives Verdict.

Irving Dudley, colored, came to his death Thursday night from a gun shot wound inflicted with a pistol in the hands of William Montague, colored. The foregoing was substantially the verdict given by a coroner's jury which met last night at police headquarters after hearing the testimony of eight witnesses in the case.

The testimony adduced at the hearing was to the effect that Montague came up to where Dudley was sitting on a log in front of Dudley's house on Pitt street between Princess and Oronoco streets, and without any warning fired three times at him. Dudley's only word as struck by the first shot was "O Lord!"

Dr. A. B. Penn told the jury Dudley was brought to his office, but had died about ten minutes before the body reached him.

Peter Mason, colored, said that he and Dudley and Montague went out in a machine to pig pens across the canal earlier and all three took a drink from a half pint bottle of whisky the property of Montague. At the time there was apparently no ill feeling between the men.

Dudley's wife wept aloud when she came before the jury.

Chief Goods told of the capture of Montague.

William Parsons, colored, said he was sitting beside Dudley when the first shot was fired and he amused the jurors when he told them he immediately beat a hasty retreat.

The jury was composed of George D. Hopkins, foreman; W. H. Thomas, Raymond Blumefeld, George W. Bontz, sr., H. B. Forbes, R. M. Graham.

At the hearing the prisoner was represented by Attorney William P. Woolls and the state by Commonwealth's attorney Howard W. Smith.

A special grand jury has been called by Judge Barley for 10 o'clock Wednesday morning in the Corporation Court to consider an indictment to be presented against Montague for murder.

CARDINAL GIBBONS TO SPEAK

Will Deliver Eulogy at Funeral of Cardinal Farley.

New York, Sept. 21.—The body of Cardinal Farley yesterday was taken from the parochial residence, adjoining St. Patrick's to a catafalque erected in front of the Cathedral's high altar, where it will lie in state until funeral services Tuesday, after which it will be placed in the Cathedral crypt.

The Matins and Lauds were sung as the body was brought in. Tomorrow there will be a special high mass for children, and night vespers will eb sung.

Arrangements now provide for delivery of the eulogy at the funeral by Cardinal Gibbons, of Baltimore. Cardinal O'Connell, of Boston, will participate in the services.

RICHMOND TONIGHT

"The Hun Within" at the Richmond tonight tells the story of two kinds of German-Americans—one a German and one an American. It's a love story about an American girl who believes she wants to marry a young German. She finds out what a Germans—then goodbye, German!

Dorothy Gish is the girl. George Fawcett is the German-American who is a real American, who despises the Kaiser. Charles Gerard is the German-American who is a German, and the son of the character portrayed by George Fawcett.

This is no picture of fancy, but fact. The records of the United States Secret Service are filled with just such black and damnable schemes as are engineered by "The Hun Within."

In this picture you see the devil's spawn of Germany actually at work within our gates.

You see that they stop at nothing, that they plot coldly and malignantly for the wholesale drowning of our troops, the destruction of our ammunition works an dessential industries.

See for yourself the way the Hun snakes work; see their cunning, and then rejoice in that swifter, alerter brain of Uncle Sam which checkmates them by night and by day.

TO UNDERGO GRUELING

Ben Rubin Self Confessed Slayer of Eva Roy to be Examined in Order to Corroborate His Story of Crime.

Commonwealth Attorney Ford, of Fairfax county, will today subject Ben Rubin, confessed murderer of Eva Roy, to a severe grueling, to determine whether he is to be held for the crime or is mentally unbalanced and only seeking notoriety.

District detectives and the Fairfax sheriff last night examined the man arrested on the charge of attacking a six-year old child here, and who, on the way to the District precinct confessed not only to being an escaped convict, but also the murderer of Eva Roy, near Fairfax, on August 6. They are determined to use every effort to corroborate or disprove the man's story.

"Sheriff, you have a hard job on your hands," is the statement made by Inspector Grant following more than an hour of questioning of Rubin.

"This case has been a series of mysteries since the beginning, and there are parts of this man' evidence which puzle me," the sheriff replied.

Rubin was arrested by Detective W. B. Thompson. On the way to the station the police driver jokingly told Rubin that he would be charged with the murder of Eva Roy, and the prisoner, who escaped from the Lorton reformatory on July 10, replied "How do you know I didn't do it?"

Later he openly declared he was guilty of the Virginia murder. He escaped from Lorton jail with Buford Tucker, another prisoner, and after a separation from his "pal" he came to Washington. He lived here a short while, but fearing the police went back to Virginia.

Meets Eva Roy in the Woods.

In the woods on August 6, he met Eva Roy, he says, looking after her father's cows. He asked her for food, and in a conversation with her he told her he was an ex-convict. She declared she would "turn him up," as he declared, and he became excited and choked her. He then carried her to the tree, he says, and tied her there, in the hope that someone would think she was a suicide.

He declared he did not otherwise assault Eva Roy, but states that if such a crime had been committed he might have done that also. The question as to whether she was ever assaulted is a matter of doubt in the minds of those investigating the case since the beginning.

Rubin was sentenced to the reformatory for three years on a charge of housebreaking. He was arrested in the District on the charge of attacking a little child. He says he is 21 years old and once was in the army. During his examination by detectives and the sheriff of Fairfax county he showed few signs of nervousness and seemd to be glad of the opportunity to confess the murder of Eva Roy.

HUNS' PREPARE PLOT.

Plans Prepared Five Months Before Conflict, Documents Show.

Washington, Sept. 21.—Evidence that Germany was making extensive arrangements for the establishment of war credits in the United States and European countries at least five months before the rest of the world knew it was to be warred upon by the central powers—a fact of international importance which Germany will have to face in the future—is disclosed in yesterday's final installment of documentary proofs being made public by this government.

That these pre-war preparations begun this early were continuously carried on here and abroad is shown by a second document dated six weeks before the Teutonic war was launched.

Other incriminating papers show Germany's exact plans to use these banking credits to supply the means of carrying on a campaign of incited riots, strikes and wholesale destruction in the United States and Europe.

Still further proofs of direct payments to Lenine and Trotsky out of the Berlin corruption chest are also contained in yesterday's chapter, which concludes for the time being the exposes by the United States of Germany's guilt and criminality not only with reference to betrayed Russia, but as to its main conspiracy against the peace of the world and the nations which it plotted to crush.

FATAL GRADE ACCIDENT

R. W. Boisseau, Contractor, of Petersburg, Dies Today at Hospital as Result of Automobile Being Struck by Electric Car—His Companion, Miss Mabel Long, Sustains Broken Leg.

One dead and one injured is the toll of a grade crossing accident which occurred at Hume, Alexandria county, at 7 o'clock last night, when a roadster headed for this city and the big work car of the Washington-Virginia Railway Company, returning to the Four-Mile Run power house, collided head-on.

The roadster was completely demolished and the work car was derailed.

The dead man is Richard W. Boisseau, thirty-one years old, of Petersburg, Va., a contractor. The injured woman is Miss Mabel Long, daughter of Mrs. Catherine Long, 1834 Columbia Road, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Boisseau and Miss Long were coming from Washington. When they attempted to cross the tracks of the Washington-Virginia Railway Company at Hume they were struck by the work train which was in charge of Motorman Cook.

The machine was hurled a distance of fifty feet and was completely demolished.

Mr. Boisseau and the young woman were placed aboard an incoming electric train and later placed in an automobile and rushed to the Alexandria Hospital for treatment.

Mr. Boisseau never regained consciousness and died at 1:20 o'clock this morning. He sustained a fractured skull and broken arm and broken leg.

Miss Long sustained a broken leg and bruises about the face. She will recover. Both the man and woman were attended by Drs. Delaney, McGuire and Bayly.

The mother of the injured woman was notified and with another daughter came to the Alexandria Hospital at once.

Mr. Boisseau for the past seven months had made his home in Alexandria. He was a contractor in charge of grade work being done at Camp Humphreys, Va. He is survived by his wife and two children, who live in Petersburg, Va.

The body of Mr. Boisseau was taken to Wheatley's mortuary chapel where an inquest will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon by Dr. T. M. Jones for Dr. R. J. Yates, coroner of Alexandria county. The jury will be from Alexandria county. It is expected that the body will be shipped tonight or tomorrow morning to Petersburg, Va., for burial.

The coroner's jury summoned is composed of the following: George H. Schwaramann, Kenneth W. Ogden, John M. Reed, Frank W. Latham, Alfred Thomson, John G. Cockey.

LAUDS NEGRO TROOPS

General Pershing Says They Can Do As Much As Any Other American Citizen.

General Pershing paid a fine compliment to American negro troops in France in addressing 6,000 colored stevedores at a base port recently.

"When this expedition first started," he said, "the question was asked, Do you want any colored men over there?" and I said 'Yes, of course I want colored men. Aren't they American citizens? Can't they do as much work as any other American citizen?"

The general said he was reared in a town where three-fourths of the people weer colored; he was proud to say he was reared by a colored mammy and equally proud to say he commanded a colored troop during the Spanish War, and that "they did splendid work then and they are doing splendid work now!"

"I used to wrestle with a colored boy name Dave Robertson," said Pershing, speaking of his boyhood days, "and Dave used to throw me as often as I threw him."

The General was cheered enthusiastically by the colored regiment and by the other service of supply men he addressed on his tour. The cheers were loudest when he promised to give the men at the bases "a chance at the boche" up at the front.

"I expect to come back here," he said, "and organize a few volunteer units, and give you guns and let you go up to the front and try your hand at it."

WILL ACT CAUTIOUSLY

Pope Will Play His Part When Asked to do so by the Belligerents.

Rome, Tuesday, Sept. 18.—It was stated at the Vatican with reference to the subject of peace proposals that the preference of the Pope is to act in such a matter only when asked so to do by both parties.

However, it was added, if a diplomatic representation were received from one of the parties, inquiries would be made of the other party if it desired to receive such a representation.

In a long article which is taken as reflecting the views of Vatican officials, if not the Pope himself, the Corriere d'Italia, the semi-official organ of the Vatican, declares that Austria should be more explicit in her peace declarations.

"The old subeterfuges that the note undoubtedly carries show the desperate need of peace," the artcile says. "There is no need for secert conference when President Wilson and others already have set forth the Allied conditions. There is no doubt that the note was inspired by Berlin. With the cannon of Hindenbrug unsuccessful, we now will see a return to the subtleties of diplomacy. The note is equivalent to a confession of military weakness. It is a sign that the fatal hour has begun for them when they must submit to the Allies' peace.

"If in the year 1916 they offered peace, now they asked it," the article continues. "But in what spirit do they ask peace?"

"When President Wilson on July 4 in Washington demanded the destruction of arbitrary power the German Chancellor responded, accepting the principle, and then began excluding such principles regarding the Russian possessions. He asked guarantees against Belgium and denied the aspirations of France and Italy."

"Today the Chancellor makes a little more headway by admitting that Belgium is right, but interposes a reserve regarding the vital interests of the Central Powers.

DANCE LAST NIGHT.

Two Hundred From Camp Attend—Prominent Talent Give Selections

About two hundred couples attended the dance given last night in the War Camp Community Hall Service Hall for the members of the Quartermaster's Corps and a number of Engineers from Camp Humphreys by Mrs. L. A. French and her daughter, Miss Lida McLaughlin.

The well known entertainers from Camp Humphreys such as Edward Ash, violin; Arthur Williamson, Cliff Lyons, King of, ragtime; Maurice Handle, Gus Kreer, formerly with Gus Edwards, and Will Dillon, popular New York song writer, were among the guests to give numbers.

Music was furnished by the Fifth Regiment Orchestra under the leadership of Mr. William Ufert.

Assisting as chaperons were Mrs. Carroll Pierce, Mrs. Evans, Mrs. T. Marshall Jones, Mrs. Herbert Oliver, Mrs. C. H. Helman, Mrs. M. D. Delaney, Miss Margaret E. Normoyle.

MOBS PILLAGING ALL PETROGRAD.

London, Sept. 21.—Petrograd is being pillaged by armed mobs that are swarming the streets murdering right and left, said a Stockholm dispatch to the Post today.

Many disastrous fires have broken out in the city.

GRAND THEATER

"Indian Joe Davis" and Princess Bluefeather will be at the Grand again tonight in their highly interesting education on exhibition. Next week will see the beginning of the great serial "The Hand of Vengeance," the fourth episode of which deals with "The Gray Lady."

After a thrilling fight in the river with Conway Bass, the detective, Ultus again escapes. After searching vainly for Eugene Lester, who betrayed his band, he spends a few months in a quiet London apartment, and becomes much interested in the "Grey Lady," who dines at the same cafe. Handbills are out offering $5,000 reward for the apprehension of Ultus; and the Grey Lady's brother finds her adorning the portrait of Ultus, on one of these handbills, with beard and mustache. That evening she leavesher handbag on her table in the cafe, and Ultus offers to restore it. At the threshhold of her residence his suspicions are aroused. Cautiously entering the darkened house, he finds a dead man on the floor.

BEATEN ON ALL FRO

Large-Scale Campaigns in Full S... Cause West Front to Take ... Seat Temporarily.

London, Sept. 21.—Completion of the capture of Moeuvres (seven miles west of Cambrai) was announced by Field Marshal Haig in his report from the front last night.

A German attack in the Hulluch sector (between Lens and La Bassee) was repulsed, many prisoners remaining in British hands.

Northwest of La Bassee the British line was advanced on a front of two and a half miles as far as Rue de Marais and Latourelle, a hundred prisonesr being taken. A German counter attack was beaten off.

London, Sept. 21.—On five different fronts the Germans and their allies suffered reverses in the last 48 hours.

In the two far distant theaters of war—Macedonia and Palestine— the Bulgars and Turks, with their German auxiliaries, went down to heavy defeat, and the allied horsemen are dashing hard on the heels of the routed foe.

A battle rages on a 100-mile front in Macedonia, Along seventy miles of it the Bulgars are fleeing in disorder before the Serbs and French, who have taken another 5,000 prisoners and eighty guns, bringing the total of captives near the 20,000 mark On the Greeks and have taken 700 prisoners.

In Palestine Sir Edmund Allenby, the twentieth century crusader, who liberated Jerusalem in a sudden smash on a 50-mile front between the river Jordan and the sea, has ripped a hole into the Turkish Nablus front, and through it his cavalry is pouring into the Ottoman rear, advancing nearly twenty miles, and still "on the go." Three thousand Turkish prisoners have been counted. More are coming in.

A Turkish force of nearly 20,000 is in danger of being trapped. From three sides Allenby's troops are menacing it, and there are only the difficult hills of Ephraim to escape to.

With these large-scale campaigns in full swing far from the European seat of the war, the West front is temporarily taking a back seat; but there, too, the allies scored substantial successes.

The British closed in further on St. Quentin and Le Catelet, taking fresh bites out of the Hindenburg line and defeating many a furious German counter thrust.

They rewon all of Moeuvres, seven miles west of Cambrai, advanced more than a mile between Lempire and Epehy and captured Malassiz Farm, a miniature fortress.

GERMAN ARMY DEPRESSED.

Von Hindenburg Addresses Troops Following Peace Failure.

The proclamation of Field Marshal von Hindenburg to the Germany army in the field was issued to offset the effect produced in the minds of the German soldiers by the Austro-Hungarian peace note.

A dispatch from Berne, received through official French channels, says the "effect of the note on the German army has been sufficiently profound and that the hope of an early peace must have taken hold of the mind of the German soldier to such an extent that Marshal Hindenburg deemed it necessary to address an appeal to the troops to put them on their guard against excessive optimism and remind them that in any case the military operations must continue."

Then follows the text of the proclamation, wherein Hindenburg again reminds his soldiers that they are "fighting a defensive war." The dispatch adds:

"There is something extraordinarily comical in hearing Hindenburg and Lndendorff, those representatives of the most aggressive and provocative German military party, proclaim that Germany is only pursuing a defensive war. That proves that the most glaring counter thrusts have never stopped the German chiefs. But it also proves that the morale of the German army must also be considerable affected.

"Maneuvers of that kind which tempted Austria in with Germany are risky in the unbalanced and unsettled state in which Austro-German public opinion finds itself after the recent defeats."

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BOY'S NARROW ESCAPE.

A small negro boy while riding a bicycle on Cameron street, near Pitt, had a narrow escape from being crushed to death a few days ago. The boy, with several others of his own age, was ziggazzing his wheel when an auto truck in charge of a colored man came along. The latter was proceeding slowly, and when he reached the boys he was forced to sheer to the left in order to avoid them. The youngster referred to above, who seemed to be a novice on a wheel, at this juncture fell and the auto passed over the front wheel of his bicycle. Fortunately the boy escaped injury. The driver of the auto was cited to appear in the Police Court by the mother of the boy whose wheel had been smashed, and the case was investigated last night. The evidence showed that the driver of the auto truck was innocent and that the smashing of the wheel was an accident for which he was not responsible.

The above is written as a warning to other boys, white and colored, who ride bicycles carelessly, especially those who divert themselves by zigzagging their wheels on King street and other thoroughfares where traffic is heavy. Some youngsters take delight in riding from one side of the street to the other while automobiles and trucks are passing continuously.

It would be well for parents whose children have been furnished bicycles to see that their offspring ride the same on less frequented streets, especially those who are learning to ride them.

The mother of the boy whose wheel was rendered useless had purchased it from a dealer a few days ago, and was to pay for it in instalments.

PISTOL-TOTING.

The murder of Irving Dudley, colored, by William Montague in the northeastern section of the city on Thursday night shows that a large percentage of negroes carry pistols. This week two negroes were arraigned in the Police Court of Alexandria on the charge of carrying such weapons They were fined $50 each. Within twenty-four hours they had paid these assessments.

It has often been suggested that the sale of firearms should be restricted. Under present conditions irresponsible or vicious persons can purchase pistols ad libitum. Show windows make displays of these weapons, and many negroes suppose that after having received their month's pay it right and proper to purchase a pistol.

There are many moral and sanitary movements always in progress. They are chronic, but we have no recollection of any crusade against the sale of pistols to persons who have no use for such weapons, save to use them upon their own genus.

Grand juries often meet and make practical recommendations. They are generally alive to unsanitary conditions or the sale of liquor while the Mapp law is in operation. They also bring in recommendations looking to the elimination of gambling. It seems to us that recommendations concerning the sale of firearms to vicious men and thoughtless youths might figure in their findings.

FAMOUS COPY OF KORAN.

One of the victims of the Russian revolution is the most famous copy of Koran in the world. It was stolen from the public library in Petrograd and its whereabouts is now an absolute mystery.

The stolen Koran is unquestionably one of the most famous volumes of its kind. By Musselmans throughout the world it was regarded as very holy. A writer says he has seen hundreds of worshippers of Allah walk into the public library and bow before the book.

A legend surrounds this volume—the blood spots on its covers are said to be those of Mahomet himself.

A few days before the theft a number of American collectors offered $1,000,000 for it.

Mahometans study their Koran. Moslem scholars in the schools are graduated when they have memorized the book. A conscientious follower of the "prophet" will not walk upon a scrap of paper, fearing it may prove to be part of their so-called holy writings.

If all Christians studied the Bible as closely as the worshippers of Allah do the Koran a more vigorous spiritual type would be in evidence.

WILL HUNT SLACKERS.

Men who have failed to register for service to their country, and who try to side-step in any way to avoid such service will be hunted down relentlessly by the officers of the law.

Drastic action will be taken in every case. There will be no loopholes, and the man with "the yellow streak" had better make up his mind that the United States is no place for him.

The loafers on the corners must have their credentials in their pockets, or stand the consequences."

Not only are the secret service men on the alert, but all patriotic citizens in private life are on the watch.

All registrants must carry their cards around with them, or subject themselves to inconveniences and embarrassments. Officers do not give warning, and one may swoop down at any moment upon the crowds that congregate on prominent corners and other public places.

"THE DEFIANT GLEAM."

Karl Rosner's paper, The Lokal Anzeiger, of Berlin, describing the appearance of the All-Highest when he spoke at the Krupp works, says he "looked grave and his hair has become very gray," but that "in his eyes shone the defiant gleam of a Prussian King."

As an exchange says, it is no difficult thing for a Prussian King to wear his "defiant gleam" in the presence of his Prussian worshippers and lesser breed of like blood. Indeed, the Kaiser's whole life, his bearing, his fierce mustachios, his uniforms and rattling trappings have all been designed to accentuate that "defiant gleam." It has had a wonderful effect upon the simple German Michel, whom it has impressed in peace-time and awed in the midst of war. But its effect has not yet been tried upon the Kaiser's enemies. Few of us who fight against him have been permitted to look upon his terrible face since the war began, and none of the few so privileged have swooned in a fit of panic fear.

A CHAPTER OF BLUNDERS.

The reply of Mr. Wilson to the Austrian proposition of a secret, star-chamber conference is without doubt one of the greatest if not the very greatest act of his administration says a cotemporary. With clear vision he saw the sinister design behind the note, the purpose in it to promote disloyalty in the United States among the pacifists and people of German blood, and with prompt decision he struck it dead.

From the very beginning of the strife Germany has blundered and misunderstood the people of the various countries with which she is now at war. She misunderstood the strength and spirit of France. She was ignorant of the English people and did not believe that country would fight. She misunderstood Italy, and, above all, she misunderstood the United States and the President, depending on the disloyalty of Americans and believing that Mr. Wilson was weak and vacillating. She has filled every land with spies; and the spies, like those sent by Moses from Paran, sent false reports and misled the people.

In her diplomacy Germany has blundered more grievously than in her peace propaganda. Instead of adroitness her diplomatic activities have been as clumsy as the evolutions of a bull in a china shop. The activity of her agents in Argentina drove that country into hostilities against her. Her effort to stir up Japan and Mexico to war upon the United States by promising a division between them of our states and possessions was childish. And, above all, her senseless driving into the war against her the richest and strongest nation in the world, thereby making her defeat certain, was unbelievable stupidity and fatuity. There is an old saying greatly overquoted by the newspapers in the past—"Whom the gods wish to destroy they first make mad." The senseless and useless acts of savagery and barbarism of Germany in France and Belgium and on the high seas have made the Germans hated and despised throughout the earth. When the war is ended and each country will be endeavoring to re-establish peaceful trade Germany will find herself without a friend in all the world except Turkey and the Bolsheviki.

"THE DOCTRINE OF FORCE."

The solemn German denunciation of their own qualities in other people at first astonished the civilized world, then amused it, and now disgusts it. There isn't an article in the code of international law that the Germans have not violated, and then they accuse their enemies of violating international law. They drop bombs on open towns and are shocked at the inhumanity of the Allies, whose bombs are dropped on forts and factories and incidentally kill some of the civil population.

In 1914 the Germans would not listen to reason or delay war while diplomacy tried to arrange a bloodless settlement. Now, being defeated they are horrified at bloodshed; they want to sit down at the peace table with envoys of the Allies and arrange a 50-50 basis of peace in the interest of humanity, for which they have shown no more regard than the ancient Romans. Humanity is to be exercised toward Germans—never by Germans.

The Norddeutsch Allgemeine Zeitung, a semi-official publication, says of the President's refusal of the Austrian overture: "Now, as before, they (the Americans) preach force, which is to lay Europe in ruins."

The Germans have laid a good part of Europe in ruin. Not much of Germany has been laid in ruins, but plenty of it will be if the Germans do not surrender unconditionally. The Allies have the power to compel this, and they will do it. The conduct of the Germans has been such that the civilized world recognizes that nothing short of this will answer. We are in the war to prevent Germany from laying any more of Europe in ruins. We are in the war to compel Germany to replace some, at least, of the ruins it has made.

It is suggested that the German paper need cherish no uncertainty about our Allies. "We shall have to wait," it says, "to see whether America's Allies will allow themselves to become intoxicated with this doctrine of force.' The Germans need not wait. They restored to force, and now they will get their fifill of it. They are overpowered. Their military leaders know they cannot win. The people generally understand that their struggle is hopeless. Their Kaiser will never give up so long as they are willing to die for him, and they are showing an increasing inclination to avoid this.

The only choice left to the Germans is that between being slaughtered in a useless and hopeless war or compelling their Kaiser to surrender. They have shown no mercy. The Allies are less savage, and will show mercy, but only to an enemy who throws down his arms. Germany would not negotiate when it felt confident of its "doctrine of force," and now it will get no negotiated peace. It can avert destruction by surrendering, and in no other way.

DO WE WANT PEACE?

Robert Herrick who writes for the National Security League, says all sane men long for the day of peace. The supreme object for which men are fighting by millions is peace. Every hour of war consumes a vast toll of lives and treasure, imperils and impoverishes the highest interests of mankind.

Can we get peace now? Yes, a peace of virtual surrender, such as could be obtained from the successful bandit, might have been had any day these past four years. A peace which would consecrate crime. A peace which would leave the criminal triumphant, no matter how skilfully camouflaged by the diplomats. A peace which would sew bountifully the seeds of a worse war to be fought by ourselves or our children. That kind of peace can be had for the asking any day. But no sane man, when he understands what it means, wants that kind of peace.

When can peace—a real peace—be had? Not until those rulers of Germany who made this war, and who have conducted it like cynical barbarians, are wholly repudiated by their people. A few of these leaders have been dismissed by the German emperor—those who were suspected ofharboring misgivings about the efficacy of "the shining sword," who have betrayed the slightest taint of liberalism. The cynical gang that planned the war, that broke faith with nations, that ravaged Belgium, that ruined northern France, that defy every human decency, are still all powerful in Germany. No peace worth calling peace can ever be made with the present imperial government of Germany.

There are no signs yet worth credence of their immediate loss of power. There are no clear indications yet that the German people are sick of these rulers; that they are alive to the crime and folly to which they have been committed for four years—and more. And, what is worse, there are as yet no credible proofs that the German people have repudiated in their own souls the vile philosophy they have been subtly taught and are now so brazenly practicing. When the day comes, as it must come, when the German nation demonstrates to the outraged world by repudiating its guilty leaders and by plain renunciation of their principles that it has at last awakened from its predatory dream,—then, and not until then, peace will come.

KAISER KNOWS HIS DOOM

Many things point to an early victory against Germany. But let us not be deceived. The Prussian dynasty is most likely to fight to the last ditch.

The kaiser's final overthrow is inevitable. From every corner, the evidence accummulates to establish the hopelessness of his schemes. Nevertheless, it cannot be denied that he is fully advised of the final end. It is this fact that must force him to make a last stand.

Were the conditions normal, he might be expected to surrender. All down the world's history great leaders have yielded to the inevitable, and in the face of complete disaster capitulated to avoid further suffering. In many cases the surrender has been accepted gracefully, and the defeated leader protected in every manner that might guard his dignity and personal honor.

In the case of the kaiser, the world holds a very distinct attitude. He has outlawed hmiself from every consideration. He has committed every crime known to man. He has desecrated every holy thing. He has become the by-word of shame and sin. All this he knows. He knows that there is coming a day of execution. Judgment has already been entered, and his only chance is to escape the final penalty of the law.

As the days go by his crimes will multiply. Like the hunted criminal that he is, he will spare no pains to prolong his doom. The business for him has narrowed to a matter of saving himself. He cannot escape to any point of the compass, and his only salvation is to fight. His armies will eventually be reduced to helplessness, and still he will drive them to it, long after all hope of success is forever gone.—Richmond Virginian.

SAMUEL H. LUNT AUCTIONEER

Auction Sale of Unredeemed Pledges, ON THURSDAY MORNING SEPTEMBER 26, 1918, at TEN O'CLOCK.

I will commence to sell at the establishment of E. Heidenheimer, Inc., 505 King Street, Alexandria, Va., all pledges upon which the interest is overdue up to this date, consisting of Diamond Rings, Pins, Earrings, and Studs, Gold, Silver, and Metal Watches, all kinds of Fine Jewelry, Guns, Revolvers, Silverware, Books, Umbrellas, etc., together with a line of goods generally found in a loan office. Ticket holders kindly take notice.

E. HEIDENHEIMER, INC.
BROKERS.

TO BERLIN.

Will Scott, of Juniata, Pa., contributes the following to the Baltimore Sun:

Autocracy is damned and doomed
And tottering to its fall.
No Daniel reads thewords illumed
Upon the Kaiser's wall.
Democracy will rise supreme
With right and might to win—
We're going to Berlin, my boys,
We're going to Berlin.

Press on until the war is won;
Press on in Freedom's fight
Till German vermin break and run
In helter-skelter flight;
Until we cage Gorilla Bill,
Nor spare his royal kin—
The beast of old Berlin, my boys,
The beast of old Berlin.

The Kultur that the vulture boasts
Shall be eradicated
When Prussia's scattered, shattered hosts
Have been annihilated
We'll batter down the gates of hell
And cave its ramparts in—
The gates of old Berlin, my boys,
The gates of old Berlin.

The king of beasts shall be uncrowned,
Except with mold and must;
Let war's volcanic thunders sound
Until his throne is dust.
Then we shall hear the cry for peace
Above the battle's din—
When we are in Berlin, my boys,
When we are in Berlin.

HELP WANTED

WANTED—By married couple, no children, rooms for light housekeeping, or room and board Address "B." Gazette.
225-1t.

WANTED—First class carpenter. Apply S. D. De Vaughan, 209 North Royal street.
225-6t.

Men—Apply National Fruit Product Company.
225-3t.

Reliable woman for general housework. Good pay. Apply 311 S. St. Asaph Street. 25-1t.

Stenographer: Lady wanted by a shipbuilding company of Alexandria. Good salary to one who is capable of first class work. 223-3t.

WANTED—First class firemen, highest wages paid. See Mr. Wicker, Alexandria County Lighting Company Plant foot of Wolf street.
217-t f.

MANAGER wanted for lunchroom; good wages paid to right party. Apply New Southland Hotel, Alexandria, Va. 205-tf

COOK wanted male or female; good wages. Apply New Southland Hotel, Alexandria, Va. 205-tf

WANTED—Laborers, white and colored. Highest wages. Either day or night work. Apply to Virginia Shipbuilding Corporation's Representative, U. S. Employment Service, Post Office Building, Alexandria, Virginia. 214-tf

WANTED—Boy, with wheel. Apply 311 King street.
217-t. f.

APARTMENTS WANTED

WANTED—By refined young couple with seven months old baby furnished or unfurnished house, apartment, or rooms for light housekeeping. Will not consider any but best location. In replying give terms. Address B, 420 Care Gazette Office.
225-1t.

ROOMS AND BOARD

Room and board for lady and child beginning October 1, Address Mrs. M. M. Brooks, Jewish Welfare Board, Camp Humphrey, Va. 222-3t

ROOMS WANTED

Two furnished rooms for young married couple with one child. Address, Box 50 Gazette Office. 221-4t.

Unfurnished room with heat and light; also use of bath. Employment Office Post Office Building. 223-2t.

ROOMS FOR RENT

Two nicely furnished rooms on second floor. Apply 333 south Patrick Street. 223-2t.

From October 1st, furnished rooms to a light housekeeper who will board the owner. Must be permanent and reliable. Apply "Rentor" Gazette Office. 220-6t

LOST AND FOUND.

Watch with inscription and owner's name. Liberal reward if left at Gazette office. S. O. S. 223-3t.

Lost between Fredericksburg and Alexandria, One Houck Wire Wheel, and Chandler Hub Cap. Reward if returned to Central Garage, Alexandria, Va., 221-6t.

LOST—Between Rosemont and Royal street, Friday afternoon, Kappa Sigma fraternity pin. Alpha Tau Chapter. Set with opals and rubies. Initials K. A. M. Reward if returned to Mrs. K. A. Merrill, 19 Cedar Street, Rosemont.

FOR RENT

Ground floor space and desk room for rent.
A large (18x42) desirable office.

M. L. HORNER
612 King Street. Phone 269.

DANCING

The Empire Social Club wishes to announce that their popular dances will be resumed at the Odd Fellows' Hall, Monday, September 23, and will continue on every Monday and Friday throughout the winter. The music will be furnished by the ever popular Nichols' Jazz Band, which has had a big summer furnishing the music for the dances at Chevy Chase Lake. This music has been classed as the best around Washington this summer and those who attend our dances will be assured of having the best music obtainable. All old friends are cordially invited and all new ones will be heartily welcomed and assured of good time. The old prices will prevail. Ladies free. Gents 75 cents.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Complete set of furnishings for small apartment. Apply Apartment No. 1, The Fairfax, King and Columbus streets.
244-4t.

One full size revolving door in first class condition. Also two wood beds and springs, cheap. Apply to M. S. Fairfax, Prince and Royal Street.
223-4t.

AUTOMOBILES

FOR SALE—New Detroit automatic scales; capacity 100 lbs; allow good discount. Apply after 6 p. m., Edward P. Marshall, 619 South Lee street.
224-4t.

1917 Overland delivery in good condition, Suitable for jitney. Price very reasonable. Mt. Vernon Auto Co., 115 N. St. Asaph Street. 223-w.

Used cars—1 Ford, 1918 touring; 1 Dodge roadster; 1 Cadillac touring; 1 Marion touring; 1 Studebaker, seven-passenger touring; 1 Buick Smith form truck; 1 Ford Smith form truck. Dickerson's Garage, 113 South Pitt Street. 223-3t.

SPECIAL NOTICES

The regular annual meeting of the Bank of Commerce and Trading, of Washington, D. C., will be held at the Alexandria Office of the bank, No. 119 south Fairfax Street Alexandria, Va., on Thursday, September 5th, 1918, at 11 a. m.

Joseph H. Milan, Secretary.
225-4t.

There will be a called communication of Andrew Jackson Lodge, No. 120, A. F. and A. M., Monday evening, September 23, at 7:30. By order of the worshipful master

225-2t. J. E. Alexander, Secy.

The Paff Shoe Company on and after this date, September 20th, 1918. This factory will be run on a bonus of 10 per cent to the employee.

C. P. Force, Mgr.
H. L. Tiger, Supt
225-1t

Executor's Notice.

Having qualified as executor of the last will of Charles E. Churchman, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons indebted to his estate to make prompt settlement thereof, with me, and all persons having claims against said estate are requested to present their claims without delay duly authenticated.

George E. Warfield, Executor.
224-10t.

Peaches—Am booking orders for October peaches to be sent by parcel post. Phone or leave orders at once. No orders taken after Sept. 25. Price $1.75 half bushel, delivered. Charles E. Outcalt. 226-3t.

NOTICE.

Beginning September 25th, 1918, our prices for cleaning and pressing will be as follows: Gentlemen's suits, $1.50 and up; ladies suits, $2.00 and up.

Sanitary Pressing Co.
223-4t. 602 King Street

Annual Meeting.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE stockholders and directors of the Harris & Shafer Co. will be held at the office of Mr. Gardner L. Boothe Alexandria National Bank Bldg., Alexandria, Va., on Thursday, September 26, 1918, at 2:30 p.m.

By order of the President.
E. A. HARRIS,
214-12t Secretary.

CREDIT—Your credit is good with us. We will tailor you a suit to your measure. Satisfaction guaranteed. Come in and look our line over. We do cleaning and pressing. HOME TAILORING CO., 903 King street. Telephone 190.
213-30t

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LANSBURGH & BRO.
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A Monday Sale

Buy some of these pieces and put them away for Christmas gifts. They'll be MOST acceptable.
Ivory finished Hand Mirrors, with bevel edges, 50c
Ivory finished Puff Boxes and Hair Receivers, 50c
Ivory finished Picture Frames, 50c
Ivory finished Button Hooks, Files, Cuticles, Knives and Shoe Horns 25c
First Floor, Lansburgh & Bro.

All-Linen Irish $3.00 Damask at $2.59 Yd.

We have just five pieces of an all-linen Irish table damask which we are willing to offer one day at the extra special price of $2.59 yard.
The regular marked price is $3.00. If we were to buy this same damask today—and there is very little of it in the market—the price would be $3.50 per yard.
Five patterns to choose from.
First Floor—Lansburgh & Bro.

WASHINGTON VIRGINIA RAILWAY CO.

In Effect February 25, 1918.

Subject to Change Without Notice.

Leave Alexandria for Washington.
A. M.—*5.00, †5.40, †6.00, *6.10, 6.20, *6.30, 6.40, *6.55, 7.00, *7.10, 7.20, *7.30, *7.35, 7.40, *7.45, *7.50, *7.55, 8.00, *8.05, *8.10, 8.20, *8.30, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00 11.20, 11.40.
P. M.—12.00, 12.20, 12.40, 1.00, 1.20, 1.40, 1.59, 2.00, 2.10, 2.20, 2.35, 2.40, 2.55, 3.00, 3.10, 3.20, 3.30, 3.40, 3.50, 4.00, 4.10, 4.20, 4.30, 4.40, 4.50, 5.00, 5.10, 5.20, 5.30, 5.40, 5.50, 6.00, 6.10, 6.30, 6.50, 6.40, 6.50, 7.00, 7.10, 7.20, 7.30, 7.40, 8.00, 8.20, 8.40, 9.00, 9.20, 9.40, 10.00, 10.20, 10.40, 11.00, 11.20, 11.40, A. M.—12.00.
*Except Sundays and Holidays.
†Except Sundays.

Leave Alexandria For Mt. Vernon
A. M.—†5.35, 6.55, 7.55, 8.55, 9.55, 10.35, 11.35.
P. M.—12.35, 1.35, 2.35, 3.35, 4.35, 5.35, 6.45, 7.15, 8.35, 9.35, 10.45, 11.55
†Except Sundays.

RAILROADS.

Washington Southern Ry.

Schedule In Effect June 10, 1918.

For Washington and points north as 7 9:08, 9:53, 10:03 a. m., 12:13, 12:28; 1:18, 2:58, 3:18, 10:13, 11:33 p. m.

Week days only, 6:20 p. m. Saturdays only 5:05 p. m., and Sundays only 8:18 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 3:35, 7:55 (local) and 2:47, a. m.; 2:27, 2:47, 5:17 (local) 6:17, 8:17, 9:17 p. m. daily.

Accommodation for Quantico at 10:30 a. m daily and 2:53 p. m. Saturdays. Night train leaves 11:48 p. m. daily for Fredericksburg and intermediate stations.

NOTE—Times of arrival and departure and connections not guaranteed.

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Stylish New Hand Bags

—No matter what style or shape Hand Bag you want to go with your fall and winter costume, you are reasonably sure to find it here. We are told almost daily there is no more complete stock in the city than ours.

—Chiffon Velvet Hand Bags, small and medium sizes, in black and colors; some have covered frames; others metal frames; all are unusual values, at $5.00

—Chiffon Velvet Hand Bags, in black and colors, with large chenille tassel and extra fine silk lining; shell frame; filed with purse and mirror; $9.50 value. Saturday $7.00

—9 Beaded Bags, four with covered frames, five with metal frames; samples; $40.00 values. Choice $25.00

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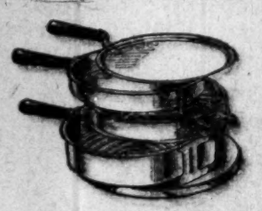

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Immediate possession, two story brick, slate roof dwelling, eight rooms and bath, furnance heat, detached, bright and cheerful. Large yard in rear, side entrance, centrally located, 1-2 square from King street.

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A DIAMOND RING—
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If you're engaged, of course he'll give you a lovely solitaire and of course he'll get it here. Tell him to buy it at this store because our diamonds are known to be choice and offer a wide selection at all prices. Perhaps you prefer to pick out your own stone and say what setting you like.

Saunders & Son

629 King Street, Alexandria, Va.

AUCTION SALES

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

Auction Sale:—Sale of a desirable 9 room 2-story brick dwelling, with bath, hot water heat, all modern improvements, large cellar, pantry, front and rear porch, located at Rosemont, Alexandria Virginia.

By virtue of and pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust dated October 7, 1913 and Dec. 21, 1918, executed by parties therein named to Gardner L. Boothe, as trustee, and of record in Deed Books No. 64, page 440 and 65 at page 84 of the land records of Alexandria City, Virginia, at the written request and direction of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured, by the said deeds of trust, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market building, in Alexandria City, Virginia, on

Saturday September 28, 1918,

at 12 o'clock M. that parcel of ground with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging located on the South side of Walnut Street between Washington Avenue and Russell Road, Rosemont, Alexandria City, Virginia, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot Numbered Fifteen (15), in Block numbered Eighteen (18). Section No. 3, on a certain plan of lots known as Rosemont, a plat of which is duly of record in the land records of the said County of Alexandria, in Deed Book No. 134, page 594. For title to the above described property reference is hereby made to a deed duly of record in the said land records in Deed Book No. 119, page 364 and to a deed dated March 28th, 1913, and duly recorded in the said land records in Deed Book No. 137, page 163.

TERMS OF SALE:

Cash. Conveyancing at the cost of the purchaser or purchasers.

GARDNER L. BOOTHE,
Trustee.

AUCTION SALE.

By Samuel H. Lunt, Auctioneer.

AUCTION SALE:—Sale of a desirable 9-room 2-story brick house, with bath, hot water heat, all modern improvements and hardwood floors at Rosemont, Alexandria, Va.

By virtue of and pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust dated June 24th, 1916, executed by parties therein named to Gardner L. Boothe, as trustee, and of record in Deed Book No. 65 at page 367 of the land records of Alexandria City, Virginia, at the written request and direction of the party thereby secured, default having been made in the payment of the indebtedness secured, by the said deed of trust the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction, in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market house, in Alexandria City, Virginia, on

SATURDAY, September 28th, 1918,

at 12 o'clock M, that parcel of ground with the improvements thereon and the appurtenances thereto belonging, located on the north side of Walnut Street between Washington Avenue and Russell Road, Rosemont, Alexandria, Virginia, and described as follows, to-wit:

All of lot numbered 4 and the western part of lot numbered 3 in Block No. 19, Section No. 3, of Rosemont, as the said section appears duly dedicated, platted and recorded among the land records of Alexandria County, Virginia, in Deed Book No. 134, page 594, and said western part of lot numbered 3 is described as follows: Beginning at the southwest corner of said lot No. 3 and running in a northerly direction along the west line of said lot No. 3, 126.59 feet to the northwest corner of said lot No. 3; thence south 89 degrees 2 minutes 30 seconds East 25.32 feet; thence in a southerly direction parallel to the west line of said lot No. 3 to the north line of Walnut Street; thence in a westerly direction and with the north line of Walnut Street 25 feet to the beginning, and besides the above enumerated improvements the property has front and rear porch and sleeping porch, garage, large cellar, pantry and is modernly screened and weather-stripped, and the said ground being the property which was conveyed to the grantor in the deed of trust by The Rosemont Development Co., Inc., by deed dated March 28, 1913, recorded in Liber 137, page 166.

TERMS OF SALE

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While a French mother in Hattonville, a mile north of Vigneulles, knelt by the bed of her sick child, praying for an allied victory, a Hun slashed her throat, according to stories told by the villagers to American officers. Lieut. Raymond Pennoyer entered Hattonville with a tank and found the woman's body in a pool of blood beside the bed. Her throat was cut. Villagers told how she was killed.

WHY WE EAT SUGAR.

Gives Power to the Body for All Varieties of Work.

Most of us if questioned as to the reason why we like sugar would reply, "Because it is sweet." That is only another way of saying that it makes food pleasant to the taste.

The value of sugar does not lie wholly in its sweetning quality, however. In addition to its pleasant taste, sugar is a real and very valuable food, which gives the body power for all the variety of work it has to perform.

Other foods do this too, starchy foods, of example. In fact, starch is changed into sugar before it is absorbed by the body as food.

This sugar which results from the digestion of starch is not like ordinary commercial granulated sugar. It is what is known as a "lower" or "simpler" sugar. Commercial sugar itself breaks down into this and another "simple sugar" when it is digested. So, in the end, it would seem that starch and sugar are very similar.

The "simple" sugar which results from the digestion of starch and also of cane or beet sugar is called "glucose," or "dextrose," or "grape sugar."

All sugar is valuable energy food. In times of unusual exertion or exhausting labor it is of of great advantage in keeping up muscular power and thus preventing fatigue. It is for this reason a desirable food for soldiers. They crave it and they really need it. We should make every effort to see that they get it.

Again, since sugar is concentrated it is a good food to ship, taking up little space in proportion to its food value.

In our own diet we can surely cut to the minimum on sugar. We can use potatoes, tapioca, cornstarch and other starchy foods as sources of energy, and when we desire to satisfy our craving for sweets there are always the fresh and acid fruits as well as the various syrups, molasses, sorgum and honey.

All of these are healthful and desirable for use right now. They contain sugars; some of them our ordinary sugar, others sugars which are of equal value as foods.

HIS ARGUMENTS COSTLY

West Virginian Fined $2,500 For Defending Germany's Act.

Martinsburg, W. Va., Sept. 21.—Paul W. Lange, German born, naturalized American citizen, of Fairmont, W. Va., prominent in business circles in that town and an active and zealous worker for Uncle Sam in every war activity in his community, pleaded guilty Thursday to a violation of the Espionage law in uttering pro-German remarks and was fined $2,500 and costs by Judge Dayton in the Federal Court here.

Seven witnesses before the grand jury testified that Lange had defended Germany's invasion of Belgium on the ground that Belgium was garrisoned by French troops; that he justified the sinking of the Lusitania on the ground that she was a munition ship and deserved to be sunk; that he declared that reports of German brutality toward Belgians, especially the violation of women and the murder of children, were untrue, and that he said German soldiers were as humane as American soldiers and committed no crimes that were not also committed by Americans.

It was alleged that these remarks were reiterated upon several occasions by Lange. The grand jury indicted him and he entered a plea of guilty. In his statement to the court before sentence was passed, District Attorney Walker said he believed Lange's remarks were more indiscret than disloyal, and that they appeared to be more in the nature of academic discussions of abstract principles of right and wrong than of an attempt to hamper American war activities.

Lange is president of the Fairmont Rotary Club, a member of his county Council of Defense, a member of the Liberty Loan, Red Cross, Young Men's Christian Association, War Savings Stamps and other patriotic committees and has purchased several thousand dollars worth of Liberty bonds and war savings stamps.

ROUMANIA IS RESTIVE.

Anti-German Outbreak Sends Mackensen Back.

London, Sept. 21.—Dr. W. S. Solf, German Secretary of State for Colonies, has been ordered to go to Bucharest and General Mackensen, who has been on leave, will return at once to Roumania as the result of the anti-German outbreak in that country, according to an Amsterdam dispatch to the Daily Express.

Because of the aggravation of the internal situation in Germany, which continues to grow the German Government has taken measures to assure "rapid and pitiless repression" in case of revolt, a Zurich dispatch reports today.

URGES GERMAN RULE

German Counselor Sommer Suggests Fuel Military Control.

Austria has become so much of a hindrance to Germany that it is now suggested that the military leaders of the latter country be allowed full management of the dual monarchy with "authority to deal with the people as with the enemy outside of the Fatherland."

This remarkable view of the relations existing between the two countries is attributed to the lips of Sommer, the German counsellor, according to an official dispatch from France yesterday. In discussing the reported attempts of the German general headquarters to obtain military dictatorship, he said:

"At the beginning of the war it was necessary first of all, to make people understand that right or morale could not occupy any place in war that was to have a victorious end. The civil government did not consider this and the disastrous result has happened; that is, in spite of so many victories carried off by our generals, the people no longer believe in the crushing of the enemy. The mentality of our subjects has become such on account of this that if the army does not soon obtain a rapid decision on the Western front I fear that we shall have to make a crucial atonement for not having left the hands of our military leaders free.

"As for one so-called ally, Austria-Hungary, she is nothing but a handicap that hinders our operations, and it is clear that it would be to our advantage to leave her to fight it out alone. Nothing goes ahead any longer in the double monarchy, and her inhabitants, in particular, are showing a deplorable state of mind. But what is still more serious for us is the fact that this state of mind is becoming more and more common in Germany. And the government is doing absolutely nothing to prevent its gaining ground. It is letting itself of directing public opinion. There is only one last hope of salvation for Germany and that is to let the high command take complete management of Austria and to allow it to deal with the people as with the enemy outside of the Fatherland."

"The words of such a high functionary," adds the dispatch, "prove that the warlike spirit is disappearing little by little in Austria and even in Germany and that the demoralized populations want peace."

UNDERTAKER HAS WAR PROBLEM

No Lumber For Coffins And No Pallbearers—Professional Mourners Are Also Scarce.

London, Sept. 21.—The British undertakers are doing some mourning on their own account nowadays. Two things are necessary, they say, for a successful funeral; one, timber for coffins ;and, two, pallbearers to carry them. And the war has brought a shortage of both.

One undertaker cites a case where the only men to carry the coffin were the undertaker himself and the hearse driver.

"And now, I ask you, how can two men remove a coffin from a fifth-story suite with dignity?" he demands.

That's not all. Professional mourners are impossible—quite. And there's a small but persistent group of Britishers who think funerals ought to be abolished anyhow; at least the coffins, and processions and hired mourners and cemetery lots.

They write to the papers about it; say the poor are bound by custom to pay for these "barbaric, silly things" whether they can afford to or not. Imagine that! Demands one undertaker.

"Who are they? Agents for crematories or what? As if we didn't have enough cold, practical difficulties these days!"

SEND PROTEST TO THE TIMES

Virginia Clubs Threaten to Discontinue Paper.

Charlottesville, Va., Sept. 21.—That the loyal part of the people of this country will not tolerate any suggestion of premature peace is shown strikingly by the prompt way in which an editorial in the New York Times advocating acceding to the Austro-Hungarian peace overture has been condemned. The board of directors of the Red Land Club, composed of leading men in every walk of life, after consulting with many of the members, sent an emphatic protest to the editor of that hitherto strong supporter of the Administration. "Since your editorial of September 16, we doubt your loyalty to such an extent as to necessitate cancelling our subscription, if this is to be your fixed policy."

The members of the Colonnade Club, at the University of Virginia, also sent a strong message of protest against the Times article.

SWAN BROS

The Council of National Defense Urges:

Early Christmas Shopping

The Buying of Useful Gifts

And Carrying of Parcels

The Council of National Defense urges the people of this country to confine their Christmas giving (except to children) to useful articles, to make their purchases during October, November and December, so that the stores will not have to employ larger number of helpers at Christmas time.

They also request the carrying of parcels wherever possible, as a necessary measure of labor conservation.

It is none too soon to BEGIN NOW your Christmas shopping, because if these suggestions are loyally and faithfully put into effect throughout the country it will make possible a continuance of the holiday custom without endangering the national interest thereby.

We have also been requested to place these facts before our public at least once each week, and we trust the response may be so substantial as will not cause a modification of the requests of the Council of National Defense.

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As a result of the charge made by A. Mitchell Palmer, Alien Property Custodian, that a group of pro-German brewers had purchased a newspaper in Washington to further their cause, and of the admission by Arthur Brisbane, owner of the Washington Times, that his is the paper in question, the Senate adopted a resolution Thursday, directing its Committee on Judiciary to inquire into this transaction and any others of a similar nature which an investigation may reveal.

Many persons have been killed or injured in a fire in the Woellersdorf ammunition factor in Viennt. After the fire there was a panic among the workers in the shell-making section of the factory.

After laying plans for raising in the Southwest during the next five years of $35,00,000 for missionary work, both at home and in foreign fields, the centenary of missions conference, Mesthodist Episcopal Church South, concluded a three-day session at Dallas, Texas, Thursday night.

NEWS OF THE DAY

A German government note delivered at Vienna, according to dispatches from that city late last night, lauds the Austro-Hungarian peace proposition and adds: Germany is ready to participate in the proposed exchange of ideas."

Wholesale arrests of Americans are being made by order of Bolshevist government.

Prince Eric, duke of Vestmanland, youngest son of King Gustaf, died yesterday in Stockholm of pneumonia, which developed from Spanish-influenza. The prince was 29 years old.

By unanimous vote the House yesterday passed the $8,000,000,000 revenue bill, the greatest tax measure in history. The roll call showed 350 members voting for the bill and not one against it.

Persident Wilson yesterday proclaimed Saturday, October 12, the 426th anniversary of the discovery of America, as Liberty Day, and called upon all citizens to celebrate it to stimulate a generous response to the fourth liberty loan. Every city, town and countryside is asked by the President to arrange commemorative addresses, pageants, harvest home festivals or other demonstrations, and he directs that all Federal employes whose services can be spared be given a holiday.

From the American front came this story yesterday. General Pershing was visiting the wounded at Red Cross Hospital No. 5 when a contest was going on for a name for the hospital paper. Some one mentioned the contest to Pershing. "Heaven, hell or Hoboken," said the American generalissimo without a moment's hesitation. He got the prize—10 francs. Smilingly he pocketed it, and smilingly went away amid great cheers.

Bombardment of Metz by one or more American long range guns is admitted in an official note appearing in the Metz newspapers. The note endeavors to calm the civilian population, saying the bombardment had been expected and did not represent a real menace, being merely a natural consequence of the St. Mihiel battle. The shelling, the note says, will end when the "battle comes to a standstill."

The period of voluntary enlistment in Ireland has been extended from October 1 to October 15, when Parliament reconvenes, the official press bureau announces. The statement added that if the voluntary system by that time proves a failure the government may take steps toward conscription.

Archbishop John Ireland, of St. Paul diocese of the Roman Catholic Church, seriously ill, still was in a very grave condition last night, his physicians announced. Rev. Thomas Welch, secretary to the archbishop, said it was doubted if he would live 48 hours.

One hundred thousand selective service registrants have changed from non productive occupations since the promulgation of the work-or-fight regulations, Provost Marshal General Crowder Thursday announced. The figures were obtained from local draft boards, the Federal employment service, the Emergency Fleet Corporation and retail merchants' associations.

A violent storm has been shaking the Portuguese Capital for some hours. Many houses have been wrecked and several sections have been inundated. A number of persons are reported drowned.

A British armed boarding steamer was torpedoed and sunk on September 12, the admiralty reported late yesterday. Eight officers and fifty men are missing.

A German prisoner captured in Lorraine recently suggested to his captors that they send a note from German soldiers, by airplane or other wise, explaining that the report that Americans kill German prisoners is untrue. He said that many Germans were sick of fighting and would surrender if they were assured that Ameicans do not kill their prisoners, as the Germans have been led to believe by their officers.

Captured German orders prove conclusively that the German official boast that the American troops took the St. Mihiel salient because Germany had been considering the evacuation for "years" is a typical deception. The official orders of the Tenth German Division, dated September 8, far from giving order for a retreat which had been planned "for years" gives the most detailed instructions for defense of the salient. General Pershing transmitted a copy of the order by cable to the War Department. The German commanders thought they had provided for every contingency.

Richard Kedwell, aged about 70 years, died very suddenly at the home of his sons in Harpers Ferry, Thursday. He was a member of Mosby's Rangers during the civil war.

JURY AWARDS DAMAGES

Decision in United States Court Has Bearing on Mapp Law Enforcement.

Danville, Va., Sept. 21.—In the United States Court of Appeals here Thursday a decision was handed down which is generally constructed to have a bearing on the operation of the Mapp law where it relates to activity of officers in searching for liquor. The decision came in the case of Thos. Crews who was awarded $600 damages by a jury from two revenue officers who it is charged searched his home in Franklin county.

Revenue Agents H. V. Shugart and J. M. Wood, thinking they would find part of a still in Crews' home raided it without a warrant. Crews objected to the search because of the condition of his wife. The officers persisted and found a cap and worm which had been in a garret unused for four years.

Crew was taken prisoner without warrant, put in Martinsville jail and the officers left those parts. No mittimus was issued for the prisoner and, as no warrant was served, it was impossible to take proceedings to secure bond. Finally a warrant was issued, but this did not charge the proper offense. Crews was kept in jail five days.

MET DEATH BY FIRE

London Hears Six Members of Late Czar's Household Were Burned to Death.

London, Sept. 21.—The former Russian Dowager Empress, three princesses and two grand duchesses, whose names are not reported, were burned to death about a month after the Russian Emperor was shot, according to a story reaching London. The source of the story is given consideration in some quarters, and an investigation has been started.

VIRGINIA NEWS

Fuel Administrator A. Beirne Blair announces that all violators of the government's request to conserve gasoline on Sunday will be published to the world. An accurate list of the automobile numbers will be taken by experts in Richmond as they glide along the highway, and the numbers will be compared with the names on the official list in the office of the chief of police and the secretary of the commonwealth. The numbers and names will both be printed, and unless the owners of the cars can give good reason for being abroad in automobiles on Sunday they will be put down as unpatriotic and slackers.

Under the new law requiring the banks of Virginia to report to the State Auditor such moneys which have been deposited with them and not checked on for twenty-one years, $21,372 has been reported, and will be escheated to the State unless it is claimed by the original depositor or their heirs.

The case of Thomas Brown, about 23 years old, charged with murdering Miss Mary Ione Crowder, 16, in an automobile Monday night, while they were returning to her home from a motion picture show, was sent on to the grand jury of the hustings court after a hearing in police court yesterday. A coroner's jury held Brown fired the shot that killed the girl. It is reported that Joseph Crowder, father of the victim, notified Brown on Sunday, the day previous to the tragedy, that unless he improved his habits he would have to cease visits to the girls home, Brown did not testify yesterday.

Despondent because of her failure to meet the requirements necessary to become a nurse, Miss Sade Fenhegen, 26, of Virginia, took poison in Washington Wednesday night, and died a few hours later at the Emergency Hospital.

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LEGAL NOTICES

VIRGINIA.

In the Clerk's Office of the Circuit Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 20th day of September, 1918.

Adelaide Lavender Pocock, vs. Thomas Stockton Pocock.

Memo.

The object of this suit is to obtain a divorce a vinculo matrimonii for the complainant from the defendant on the grounds of wilful desertion and abandonment, the restoration of her maiden name to the complainant, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant Thomas Stockton Pocock is a non-resident of this State: It is Ordered, That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interest in this suit.

C. T. Jesse and J. T. McHale, P Q

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